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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I have chosen to use Sonic as my broadband carrier and I'm glad that I made the switch from ATT.

My service is now more reliable with swifter connections locally and through the Internet. I rely on my broadband connection for the majority of my communications so I can appreciate the difference that the Sonic has offered to my community.

I have been a long time customer of ATT and this is the first time there has been a competitive alternative broadband service available. We have been waiting so long for an alternative to the big telephone companies please do not stop this first ray of hope.

Sincerely,

Shoshana Arai